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For: THERMOACOUSTIC DEVICE

## SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

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